

# Mr. WATANABE Shige

## Deputy Chief of Mission, Minister Embassy of Japan in Vietnam

He had joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Japan in April 1994 and had been working for the Embassy of Japan and Ministry of Foreign Affairs in several positions. In October 2016, he was appointed to Minister-Counselor for Economic Affairs of Embassy of Japan in the United States.



Then as Director in First Country Assistance Planning Division of International Cooperation Bureau in September 2019. He was then assigned to be Director in Information and Communication Division, Minister's Secretariat in January 2021. In April 2022, as Director of Division for Promotion of Digitalization, Minister's Secretariat.

He is appointed to be the Minister at the Embassy of Japan in Vietnam in July 2022 and he is still holding the position at the present.

He had finished his bachelor's degree in Law at Hitotsubashi University.